

Of all the odd deaths in the world this report from India is certainly the oddest: A native, while catching fish...

A writer in the Nautical Gazette soberly affirms that Noah's ark in a good state of preservation is now lying under water...

In 1784 about fourteen bales of cotton were shipped from America to England...

The market in London for diamonds has been a very dull one...

It is said that glycerine mixed with the water in steam engine boilers prevents the deposition of lime-salts...

There are about a quarter of a million of military engineers in the United States...

The journal of the Michigan agricultural college has analyzed the air of a green-house...

The senate chamber in the capitol at Washington is hereafter to be supplied with fresh air by means of an air-lift...

The Codomo rose is said to be an excellent thing against a threatening 'chill' in a blast furnace...

The horticultural botanist Koch, after long and patient investigation, is inclined to think that the potato is a hybrid between several species of apple...

A New York lawyer tried to clear his gambler client, recently, by showing that the latter had been discharged from the offense was not within the statute against 'games of chance'...

The population of the United States is now increasing at the rate of one million annually...

A mother's love is a holy thing, and is beautifully illustrated in the case of the French woman who murdered her husband...

This is the height of the propping season. We saw through the window of a Woodstock house...

Mayor Mellish of Chicago declines a seat in the Graphic balloon because, though it will probably start on time, it is liable to land in eternity...

What shall I give my boy to make him honored and respected? writes an affectionate father...

A Frenchman has discovered, by accident, that coffee and coffee taken upon an empty stomach, renders the mind abnormally clear...

Deacon Davis of Springfield, Illinois, has been ordered to pay \$100 for habitual profanity in making use of the expression 'by gum'...

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A MIDSUMMER IDYL.

Within the soft summer weather, In soft summer weather, My love and I together, Through clouds of white, with softened light...

THE ISLE OF PINES.

How the Native Island Insane-Cocoon and Trepanning Fishermen-Societies, (Chambers's Journal.) The mention of an exploring commission which was sent out to the southern sea...

THE FIRST CONSUL.

[Mr. Parton, in an article on President Jefferson's chief measures, in the September Atlantic, gives a very interesting account of the first consul, which Louisiana was secured to the United States...

AGAINST DARWINISM.

The expense to science in the admission of Darwin's hypothesis of evolution, is a heavy one. The entire recognition of geology, history says: "Bring one fact to sustain your theory..."

ENGLAND'S TRUE NOBILITY.

The real lords and princes of the English people are the newspaper editors, the national educators, and the latest richest of the banker peers...

THE ART OF HANGING.

As long as a capital punishment is the law of the land and hanging the mode of execution, the subject of hanging was a matter of fact...

AN ANATOMICAL HINT.

Dr. Hermann Meyer's German asserts that a shoe maker ought not only to produce a shoe that does not pinch, but also a shoe that does not hurt...

Advice to Dry Goods Men.

Shopping would be directed of half its horrors if dry goods men would study human character that a retailer, people put off their manners...

Two Women in a Railroad Car.

There is no better place in the world to study human character than a railroad car. People put off their manners...

The Field of Journalism.

When I compare the state of the newspaper press as it is now with what it was at the commencement of the century, the different styles make a medley...

Different Styles of Dancing.

The fashion of dancing is not at all cosmopolitan, not even national. In Saratoga the different styles make a medley...

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